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Attorney Docket No. 30096.00001
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL
(new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

INVENTOR(S): SCOTT GRAHAM

TITLE: VEHICLE WASH MITT

In connection with this application, the following are enclosed:

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

XX Specification - 9 TOTAL PAGES

(preferred arrangement:)

- Descriptive Title of the Invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

6 Drawings - Total Sheets 4

XX Declaration and Power of Attorney - Total Sheets 2

XX Newly executed (original or copy)

 Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))

(relates to continuation/divisional boxes completed) - NOTE: Box below

 DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

 Incorporation By Reference (useable if copy of prior application
Declaration being submitted)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a COPY of the oath or declaration is supplied as noted above, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

 Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

 Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

 Computer Readable Copy

 Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

 Statement verifying identity of above copies

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)
☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
☐ Information Disclosure Statement(IDS) with PTO-1449. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
☐ Preliminary Amendment
☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
☒ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application, status still proper and desired.
☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) with Claim of Priority
(if foreign priority is claimed).
☒ OTHER: Charge deposit account 02-3292 the filing fee of \$ 345.00

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
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☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: --This application is a ☐ continuation, ☐ divisional or ☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. ☐, filed ☐.--

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STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(b)) - INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

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Applicant, Patentee, or identifier: Scott Graham

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Title: VEHICLE WASH MITT

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- ☒ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.
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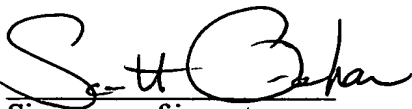
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